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Interview Summary	Application No. 10/596,780	Applicant(s) INOUE ET AL.	
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(2) Wilson Lee. (4) ____.

Date of Interview: 09 September 2008.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.
If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 1.

Identification of prior art discussed: Matsushima et al. (US 2002/0165825 A1) and Gotoh et al. (US 2003/0133368 A1).

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Ms. Jayaprakash suggested that the claims be amended in a formal response to focus on the aspect of the "setting section updates the link information". Overall, Examiner (Vo) suggests that Ms. Jayaprakash clarify the independent claims in order to overcome the prior arts.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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/Wilson Lee/ Primary Examiner, Art Unit 2163	
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